

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Scott H. Brown and Tin-Tack P. Cheung

SERIAL NO.: 09/196,347

GROUP ART UNIT: 1764

FILED: November 19, 1998

EXAMINER: N. Preisch

For: HYDROGENATION CATALYSTS AND PROCESSES THEREWITH

Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE
WITHIN THE THIRD MONTH

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed February 2, 2001, in the prosecution of the above-identified application be extended for three months from the date of May 2, 2001, to the date of August 2, 2001.

Our check No. 5301 for \$890.00 is attached hereto. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee associated with this extension of time for response within the third month or to return any overpayment associated with this extension of time to Deposit Account 18-1942. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

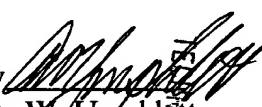
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